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CLAIMS ON THE ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION PURCHASED.
H. A. HERBERT,
Manager.

Hongkong, March 25, 1885. 522

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T. JACKSON,
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Hongkong, February 28, 1885. 347

NOTICE.

RULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS' BANK.

1.—The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3; Saturdays, 10 to 1.

2.—Assets of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation will be held a direct security for the repayment of sums deposited in the above Bank.

3.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$1,500 in any one year.

4.—Deposits may be on behalf of relatives, of trusts, &c., in addition to the depositor's own account.

5.—Persons desirous of saving sums less than a dollar may do so by affixing clean ten-cent stamps to a form to be obtained at the Bank or at the Post Office. When the form is presented with ten clean stamps the depositor will be credited one dollar.

6.—Depositors in the Savings' Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest.

7.—Deposits may be forwarded from the Posts by means of clean Hongkong Postage Stamps of any value.

8.—Interest at the rate of 3% per cent. per annum will be allowed to depositors on their daily balances.

9.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book which must be produced with each payment of withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books, but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July.

10.—Covers containing Pass-Books, Registered Letters containing Stamps or other Remittances, and generally, correspondence as to the business of the Bank will, if marked *On Hongkong Savings' Bank Business*, be forwarded free of Postage or Registration Expenses by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.

11.—Withdrawals may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary.

12.—All documents connected with the business of the Savings' Bank are exempt from stamp duty.

For the
HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING
CORPORATION,
T. JACKSON,
Chief Manager.
Hongkong, April 25, 1884. 716

WILLIAM DOLAN,
SAIL-MAKER & SHIP-CHANDLER
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MANILA ROPE, AMERICAN
OAKUM, LIFE BUOYS,
CORK JACKETS,
&c., &c., &c.

At the same Moderate Charges
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Proprietor.

Hongkong, May 1, 1882. 256

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LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

Hongkong, March 21, 1885. 499

W. POWELL & CO.

ARE REMOVING TO THE

VICTORIA EXCHANGE,
ON

1st April,

ENTRANCE FROM

QUEEN'S ROAD AND STANLEY STREET.

Hongkong, March 12, 1885. 433

Notice of Firm.

NOTICE.

WE HAVE THIS DAY authorized Mr. JACOB SILAS MOSES to sign our Firm in Hongkong.

E. D. SASSOON & CO.

Hongkong, March 20, 1885. 488

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NOTICE.

THE Annual General MEETING of the MEMBERS of the HONGKONG GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE will be held on FRIDAY, the 27th Instant, at 4 p.m., at the CITY HALL.

By Order,

H. M. BAILY,
Acting Secretary.

Hongkong, March 20, 1885. 491

Hats.

A large assortment of Christy's Felt Hats, always in Stock in all the newest styles.

Clothing.

Tweedings.

Coatings.

Trouserings.

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Having completed our arrangements we can now make to order White Dress Shirts, equal to home manufacture.

HOSIERY, SCARFS, TIES, HANDKERCHIEFS,

BOOTS AND SHOES.

Hongkong, January 6, 1885. 33

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

In the Goods of EDWARD JOHN DUGGUA, Deceased.

ALL CREDITORS of the Estate of EDWARD JOHN DUGGUA, late Captain of the *Miramar* and *Iolani*, are requested to send in their CLAIMS to this Office without delay.

EDW. J. ACKROYD,
Registrar.

REGISTRY, SUPREME COURT,
24th March, 1885. 519

DENTISTRY.

Dentistry.

FIRST CLASS WORKMANSHIP.

Moderate Fees.

MR. WONG TAI-FONG,
Surgeon Dentist.

Formerly Anticipated Apprentice and Late Assistant to Dr. ROGERS.

The urgent request of his European and American patients and friends, has TAKEN THE OFFICE formerly occupied by Dr. ROGERS,

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Perfect adjustment of ARTIFICIAL TEETH by Atmospheric Suction without pain or inconvenience. Discount to missionaries and families.

Sole Address.

2 DUDDELL STREET,

(Next to the New Oriental Bank.)

Hongkong, January 12, 1885. 66

NOTICE.

ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION

IN LIQUIDATION

ALL HOLDERS of NOTES of the ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION (Hongkong Branch), are hereby requested to present them to the Liquorators of the Bank, when they will be given, an Exchange, a certificate of the value of the Notes deposited.

HOLDERS of NOTES will be required to furnish to the Liquorators of the Bank, a schedule in duplicate, giving the date of issue, Number and Amount of each Note produced.

Forms of Schedule may be had on application at the Office of the Oriental Bank Corporation, Queen's Road, Hongkong.

For the

OFFICIAL LIQUATOR OF THE

ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION,

By his Attorney,

J. MELVILLE MATSON,

H. HOWARD TAYLOR,

Hongkong, August 2, 1884. 1285

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At the same Moderate Charges

D. K. GRIFFITH,

Proprietor.

Hongkong, July 28, 1884. 1216

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING

CORPORATION.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE DIVIDEND declared for the Half Year ending 31 December, 1884, at the Rate of (22) Two Thousand Sterling per Share of £100 is PAYABLE on and after MONDAY, the 2nd March, at the Offices of the Company, where Shareholders are requested to apply for Warrant.

By Order of the Court of Directors,

T. JACKSON,

Chief Manager.

Hongkong,

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OILMAN'S STORES.

J. T. MORTON'S
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OILMAN'S STORES.

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OILMAN'S STORES.

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BREAKFAST CLARET, " "

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TILLADO.

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1- and 3-star HENNESSY'S BRANDY.

COURVOISIER'S BRANDY.

FINE OLD BOURBON WHISKY.

KINAHAN'S WHISKY.

ROYAL GLENDEE WHISKY.

Boord's OLD TOM.

F. & J. BURKE'S IRISH CORDIAL.

ROSE'S LIME JUICE CORDIAL.

NOILLY PRAT & CO.'S VERMOUTH.

JAMESON'S IRISH WHISKY.

MARASALA.

EASTERN AMERICAN CIDER.

CHARTEUSE.

MARASCHINO.

CURACAO.

&c., &c., &c.

BASS'S ALE, bottled by CAMERON and
SAUNDERS, pints and quarts.GUINNESS'S STOUT, bottled by E. &
J. BURKE, pints and quarts.DRAUGHT ALE and PORTER, by the
Galton.

ALE and PORTER, in hogheads.

Agents for:

Messrs. W. & A. GILBEYS'
WINE AND SPIRITS.

MINERS'

PATENT FIRE-PROOF SAFES.

Messrs. TURNBULL, JR., and SOMERVILLE'S
MALTESE CIGARETTES.

Hongkong, March 12, 1885. 431

THE STRAITS INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Undersigned having been appointed
Agents for the above Company are
prepared to grant Insurances on MARINE
RISKS to all parts of the World, at current
rates.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.

Hongkong, November 5, 1883. 505

THE LONDON ASSURANCE.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER OF
His Majesty King George The First
A. D. 1720.THE Undersigned having been appointed
Agents for the above Corporation are
prepared to grant Insurances as follows:-
Marine Department.Policies at current rates, payable either
in London, or at the principal Ports
of India, China and Australia.

Fire Department.

Policies issued for long or short periods at
current rates.

Life Department.

Policies issued for sums not exceeding
£5,000 at reduced rates.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Hongkong, July 25, 1872. 406

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE
COMPANY.
(FIRE AND LIFE.)

CAPITAL.—Two MILLIONS STELLING.

THE Undersigned are prepared to grant
Policies against the Risk of FIRE on
Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on
Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of
Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms
and Conditions.Proposals for Life Assurances will be re-
ceived, and transmitted to the Directors
for their decision.If required, protection will be granted on
first class Lives up to £1,000 on a Single
Life.For Rates of Premiums, forms of pro-
posals or any other information, apply toARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,
Agents, Hongkong & Canton.

Hongkong, January 4, 1887. 100

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE
INSURANCE COMPANY.THE Undersigned, Agents of the above
Company, are authorized to Insure
against FIRE at Current Rates.

GILMAN & Co.

Hongkong, January 1, 1882. 14

NOTICE.

QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COM-
PANY.THE Undersigned are prepared to accept
Risks on First Class Godowns at 2
per cent. net premium per annum.

NORTON & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, May 19, 1882. 288

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THE
BRITISH
CONSULATE
AT
HONGKONG.STEAM FOR
SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO,
ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID,
MALTA, GIBRALTAR, BRINDISI,
VENICE, TRIESTE,
PLYMOUTH, AND LONDON;
ALSO,
BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND
AUSTRALIA.N.B.—Cargo can be taken on through Hills
of Lading for BATAVIA, PERSIAN
GULF PORTS, MARSEILLE,
TRIESTE, HAMBURG, NEW YORK,
AND BOSTON.THE PERINCOLAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM
NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship
CIL USAN, Captain H. Wyatt, with
Her Majesty's Mail, will be despatched
from this for LONDON, via BOMBAY
and SUZ CANAL on TUESDAY, the
31st March, at 4 p.m.Cargo will be received on board until
10 a.m. on the day of sailing.Parcels and Specie (Gold) at the Office
until 10 a.m. on the day of sailing.Silk and Yards for Europe will be
transhipped at Colombo, Tea and Gen-
eral Cargo for London will be conveyed
via Batavia without transhipment, arriving
one week later than by the ordinary direct
route via Colombo.For further Particulars regarding
FREIGHT and PASSAGE, apply to the
PERINCOLAR & ORIENTAL STEAM
NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Office, Hongkong.The Contents and Value of Packages are
required to be declared prior to shipment.Shippers are particularly requested to note
the terms and conditions of the Com-
pany's Black Bills of Lading.Passengers desirous of insuring their bag-
gage can do so application at the Com-
pany's Office.N.B.—This Steamer takes Cargo and Pass-
engers for MARSEILLE.

A. McIVER, Superintendent.

Hongkong, March 18, 1885. 480

NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES
MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOATS POSTE FRANCAIS.

STEAM FOR
SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA,
COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ,
PORT SAID,MEDITERRANEAN AND BLACK
SEA PORTS, NAPLES, MARSELLES, AND PORTS
OF JIAZIL, AND IL PLATA;BORDEAUX, LE HAVRE, DUNKIRK,
LONDON AND ANTWERP.ON TUESDAY, the 7th April,
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MELBOURNE, Commandant MINIER,
with MAILED, PASSENGERS, SPECIE,
and CARGO, will leave this Port for the
above places.Cargo and Specie will be registered for
London, as well as for Marseilles, and ac-
cepted in transit through Marseilles for the
principal places of Europe.Shipping Orders will be granted until
Noon.Cargo will be received on board until 4
p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on
the 6th April, 1885. (Parcels are not to
be sent on board; they must be left at the
Agency's Office).Contents and value of Packages are re-
quired.For further particulars, apply at the
Company's Office.G. DE CHAMPEAUX,
Agent.

Hongkong, March 25, 1885. 521

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U. S. MAIL LINE.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP
COMPANY.THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA
OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING
AT YOKOHAMA, AND SAN FRANCISCO.THE U. S. Mail Steamship CITY OF
LIO DE JANEIRO will be despatched
from San Francisco on TUESDAY, the
7th April, at 3 p.m., taking
Passenger and Freight for Japan, the
United States, and Europe.Through Bills of Lading issued for trans-
portation to Yokohama and other Japan
Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and
Inland Cities of the United States, via Over-
land Railways, to Havana, Trinidad, and
Demerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central
and South America, by the Company's and
connecting Steamers.Through Passage Tickets granted to
England, France, and Germany by all
trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers.RETURN PASSENGERS.—Passengers who
have paid full fare, re-embarking at San
Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa)
within six months, will be allowed a discount
of 20% from Return Fare; if re-embarking
within one year, an additional 10%.All Bills of Lading will be issued at a
discount of 25% from Return Fare.These allowances do not apply to
through fares from China and Japan to
Europe.Freight will be received on board until 4
p.m. the day previous to sailing. Parcel
Packages will be received at the office until
5 p.m. same day; all Parcel Packages
should be marked to address in full; value
of same required.Consumer Invoices to accompany Cargo
despatched to ports beyond San Francisco
should be sent to the Company's Offices in
Sealed Envelopes, addressed to the Collector
of Customs at San Francisco.For further information as to Passages
and Freight, apply to the Agency's Office.F. E. FOSTER,
Agent.

Hongkong, March 24, 1885. 515

To-day's Advertisements.

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U. S. MAIL LINE.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION
COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR THUNSEN VIA SWATOW.

The Co.'s Steamship

Kwangyung,

Captain WANG, will be
despatched as above on
MONDAY, the 10th instant, at 3 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

JARDINE, MATHEWS & Co.,
General Managers.

Hongkong, March 26, 1885. 527

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DOUGLAS SHIPMENT COMPANY,
LIMITED.FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHEW
(SHARP PEAK).

This Co.'s Steamship

Douglas,

Captain YOUNG, will be
despatched for the above on
TUESDAY, the 31st Instant, at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,
General Managers.

Hongkong, March 26, 1885. 529

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OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Co.'s Steamship

Priam,

Captain BUTLER, will be
despatched as above on
TUESDAY, the 31st Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWINE.

Agents.

Hongkong, March 26, 1885. 525

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THE CHINA MAIL.

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CANTONESE MADE EASY.—A Book of SIMPLE SENTENCES in the CANTONESE COLLOQUIAL with Free and Literal Translations; and Directions for Reading English Grammatical Forms into Chinese and vice versa.—Price, \$2. Illustrated Copies, \$2.50.

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LANE, CRAWFORD & CO. Hongkong, January 15, 1883. 151

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Intimations.

WINTER TIME-TABLE.

THE KOWLOON FERRY.

STEAM-LAUNCH MORNING STAR Runs DAILY AS A FERRY BOAT between Pedder's Wharf and Tsui-As-Tei the following hours.—This Time-Table will take effect from the 1st November, 1884.

WEEK DAYS. SUNDAYS.

Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.	Sat.	Sun.
6.00 A.M.	6.00 A.M.	6.00 A.M.	7.00 A.M.	7.00 A.M.	7.00 A.M.	7.00 A.M.
8.30	8.30	8.30	7.30	7.30	7.30	7.30
8.55	9.00	9.00	10.15	10.15	10.15	10.15
9.45	10.15	10.15	11.00	11.00	11.00	11.00
10.45	12.30	12.30	12.30 P.M.	1.00 P.M.	1.00 P.M.	1.00 P.M.
1.35	2.00	2.00	2.30	3.00	3.00	3.00
2.35	3.00	3.00	3.20	4.00	4.00	4.00
3.25	3.50	3.50	4.20	4.35	4.35	4.35
4.10	4.30	4.30	4.50	5.10	5.10	5.10
5.25	5.40	5.40	6.10	6.30	6.30	6.30
6.05	6.30	6.30	7.00	7.00	7.00	7.05

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Kashgaria.

Designation of Buddhist Temples.

Kwangtung v. Canton.

Loochoo.

Chinese Cash.

Finals.

The Term Arasces.

Bactria and Parthia.

Bactra.

A Chinese rendering for 'Fathom'.

Replies to some Queries and Suggestions.

Books Wanted, Exchanges, &c.

To Contributors.

Hongkong, February 5, 1883.

Hongkong Rates of Postage.

In the following Statements and Tables the Rates are given in cents, and are, for Letters per half ounce, for Books and Patterns, per two ounces.

Newspapers over four ounces in weight are charged double, treble, &c., as the case may be, but each parcel or packet of paper may be sent at Books rate.

Postage must not be folded together as one, nor must anything whatever be inserted except bona fide Supplements.

Printed matter may, however, be enclosed, if the whole be paid at Book Rate. Prices current may be paid either as Newspapers or Books.

Commercial Papers signify such papers as, though written by Hand, do not bear the character of an actual or personal correspondence, such as invoices, debts, copied music, &c. The charge on them is the same as for books, but, whatever the weight of a parcel containing any partially written paper, it will not be charged less than 6 oz.

The sender of any Registered Article may accompany it with Return Receipt of payment of extra of 6 cents.

The limit of weight allowed is 4 lbs. Patterns to British Offices, 5 lbs. with out intrinsic value; to the Continent, &c., 8 oz.

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